



**Sunday, September 8th, 2024**  
**The Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost**  
**ST. PAUL'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH**

A Parish of the Episcopal Diocese of Upper South Carolina  
Parish Mission: "Growing in Christ, Serving God's People"  
Diocesan Vision: "Making, Equipping, Sending Mature Disciples of Christ"

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Interim Rector  
The Reverend Edmund Pickup, Jr.  
Director of Christian Education and Family Ministries,  
Jane Kilpatrick  
Interim Organist Steven Aycock  
Parish Secretary, Brenda Vale

**Office Hours: Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday**  
**9AM- 1PM**

### WEEKLY SCHEDULE

<b>Sundays at 8:00 AM</b>	<b>Holy Eucharist, Rite I</b>
<b>Sundays at 9:15 AM</b>	<b>Bible Study with Father Ed</b>
<b>Sunday at 10:30 AM</b>	<b>Holy Eucharist, Rite II</b>
<b>Tuesdays at 11:00 AM</b>	<b>Book Study with Jane Kilpatrick</b>

### [St. Paul's Prayer List](#)

*May God the Father bless you; May God the Son heal you; May God the Holy Spirit give you strength.  
May God the holy and undivided Trinity guard your body, save your soul, and bring you safely to His  
heavenly country, where He lives and reigns forever and ever. Amen.*

**In the event of a pastoral emergency,  
contact  
The Reverend Edmund Pickup, Jr. @ 757-650-0982**

Those in need of prayer:

Shelly Artello, Sally Beyer, Henry Carter, Dan Centea, Karen Centofanti, Marianne Clark, Russell Hawes, May Hennessy, Robert Krychiw, Libby Justice, Cindy Lister, Shannon Ranucci, Marie Treadwell, Weston Yatko, Lizann Rex, Michele Erickson, Rachel Joiner, Ron Covington, Rita, Jan Arnold, Noah Fike, Irene Peeler, Linda Anderson, Keira Esposito, Bobby Elkins, John Dulaney, Mary Ann Saint, Jane Kilpatrick, Charlie, Craig, Janet Jendron, David Dudley, and Bryan Cook.

Please pray for those who have died.

If you need to be added or have someone that we need to pray for, please email the church office at [stpaulsfortmill@gmail.com](mailto:stpaulsfortmill@gmail.com) or call 803.547.5968 and leave a message. Unless requested, each name will remain on the prayer list for 4 weeks.

## **Reminder: Please wear your name badges especially during this transition time with our new Interim Rector and Interim Organist.**

Please let Brenda know via email [@stpaulsfortmill@gmail.com](mailto:@stpaulsfortmill@gmail.com) or phone 803-547-5968 if you need a name tag.



**Parish Breakfast on Sunday, Sept 15<sup>th</sup> at 9:15 AM.** We invite you to join us as The Venerable, Janey Wilson, Archdeacon, shares an update on the ongoing search for a new Rector at St. Paul's. This is a valuable opportunity to learn more about the progress and to ask any questions you may have about the search process. Please bring a breakfast dish to enjoy with your fellow congregation members as we gather together in fellowship

## *Weekly Studies*



**The Weekly Bible Study with The Reverend Ed:** This Sunday, September 8<sup>th</sup> at 9:15 AM. we will discuss Mark 8:27-38, "You are the Christ". The Bible Study will not meet on Sunday, Sept 15<sup>th</sup> so that everyone can attend the Parish Breakfast.

**The Tuesday Morning Book Study will begin "Meeting Jesus Again for the First Time" by Marcus Borg on Tuesday, September 10 at 11:00 AM.** The New York Times described Marcus Borg as, "A leading figure in his generation of Jesus scholars." As such, he had taught in state funded universities as a scholar, not a theologian. He shares how this book came to be, "I was invited to speak to an Episcopal men's group, that had been meeting weekly for over ten years. Because of the nature of the group, whose times together were marked by personal sharing, their instructions to me were twofold: 'Talk to us about Jesus and make it personal.' Nobody had asked to do this before." Join us as we explore Borg's exploration of meeting Jesus again for the first time.

# Christian Education

**The Christian Education team needs your help!** As our program grows, we will continue to need a volunteer for both, Kids Corner and/or Nursery each week. If you would prefer Kids Corner (Ages 5-10), please only select Kids Corner on the day that you are available. In Kids Corner, the lessons will be provided and prepped for each Sunday

If you would prefer Nursery (Birth-4), please only select Nursery on the days that you are available. However, if you have no preference, please select an option.

This will help us to know who will be where each Sunday. If things change, please don't hesitate to send a text to Miss Jane.

Please review the available slots below and use the QR code below or the link,

<https://www.signupgenius.com/go/10C0D4DACAE2DA7F9C61-50307979-nurserykids> to sign up.



Thank you,  
Jane Kilpatrick and Aiyana Flowers

Christian Education at St. Paul's: We believe in making "God is Everywhere" real for our young people and helping them see the many ways Christians share the Fruit of the Spirit through Love, Joy, Peace, Patience, Kindness, Goodness, Faithfulness, Gentleness, and Self-Control. These concepts are presented through interaction with nature, science experiments, stories from picture books, and the inclusion of the scriptures for each Sunday.

On Sunday mornings, Jane (Ms. Jane) Kilpatrick and Aiyana (Miss Flowers) Flowers greet families. Ms. Jane, Director of Christian Education and Family Ministries, has been with St. Paul's since 2015. She has a Masters in Christian Education and has served in Episcopal churches for over 20 years. Miss Flowers, Nursery Coordinator, has been with St. Paul's since 2016. She has a Masters in Literacy from Winthrop University and is a third-grade teacher. Each week, nurturing and vibrant volunteers join us in cultivating relationships with the children.

**Nursery (Birth – Age 4) and Kids' Corner (K-4<sup>th</sup>) Meet at 10:15**

## A Note from Jane

Hooray! I am back and I can talk. That being said, my voice is still not what we are accustomed to being, but not to worry, it will get there. Thank you for keeping me in your prayers. I am happy to let you know that I am improving daily.

Thank you, again, for your prayers, love, and kind words of support. I am looking forward to seeing you Sunday!

"Be In Touch." Most importantly remember,  
God is always with you and God always loves you, No Matter What!

At St. Paul's we have many opportunities to serve those around us. We provide dinner for the Bethel shelter, gather food for the Care Center, collect school supplies, support the Historic Paradise Foundation, and other charities. **Now, one of our own needs help.** Sue Craven, our Junior Warden, has recently taken guardianship of five children ranging in age from seventeen down to three. The three-year-old also has profound special needs. These children need clothes, shoes, school supplies, and much more. With so much need, I thought that collecting gift cards would be of great assistance to Sue and her family. After talking to Sue, she confirmed that this would be a huge help. I will collect Visa cards and store cards. I'm sure she can use Kohl's, Target, Belk, Famous Footwear, and many others. If you would like to contribute to this cause, you may place cards in the Sr Warden mailbox in the outer office. Any contribution helps and Sue will be most grateful.



### Fellowship:



**Calling all bridge players!** Please email Joanne Edwards ([jjed@comporium.net](mailto:jjed@comporium.net)) if you are interested in playing bridge at St Paul's. We are trying to restart our last year's group. If interested, which day works best for you (choices are Tues, Wednesdays, or Thurs; do you prefer morning or afternoon?). Also, if you have a friend interested in playing, let me know (name, email) so I could add to the group email list. We will try for two tables (8 players).

**Coffee hour: If you would like to host, please use the sign-up sheet in the Close Hall outside the kitchen door.**



**The Church's website** is in the process of being updated. The committee is looking for recent pictures from activities, etc to add to the site. If you have any, please email Janet Jendron at [jjendronjanet@gmail.com](mailto:jjendronjanet@gmail.com)

## SERVING OUR NEIGHBORS 2024



**Fort Mill Care Center:** All non-perishable food, personal hygiene and cleaning items are welcome. The highest current needs are Spaghetti sauce, peanut butter and jelly, corn, green beans, macaroni and cheese, and individually wrapped snacks. They also have posted an Amazon wish list on their website [fortmillcarecenter.org](http://fortmillcarecenter.org)  
**Please drop off items in the grocery cart outside the main entrance.**

**Classroom Ready:** Say goodbye to Composition Notebooks and Hello to Tape (quality tape like Scotch Tape). Bin for collection is located inside the door under the office windows! Blessings, Missions & Outreach Committee!

## Meals 4 Caring and Sharing

When members of our congregation have a new baby, have surgery or a serious illness, or experience a death in their family, we will be able to say, “St. Paul’s cares!” by delivering a meal. Of course, we can’t do this without you, so here is how you can help.

- Let a member of our team (listed below) know when you are aware of a parishioner who would benefit from this type of gesture of concern. In addition, a parishioner could also call the church office at 803-547-5968 and leave a message / request a return call regarding a parishioner who needs some assistance.
- All casseroles, side dishes or desserts should be in freezable, disposable containers. Label it clearly with your name, the contents, the date, cooking/warming instructions, and leave it in the freezer on the 3<sup>rd</sup> shelf.
- Smaller size casseroles that serve 2 -3 are greatly appreciated!
- You can also help by respecting our designated freezer space (3rd shelf) and supplies. Please do not remove or contribute anything without contacting a team member.
- When food is removed to take to a parishioner, please make a note on the sheet available about how many items and what types of items were removed.
- Many thanks to all who have already expressed an interest in preparing and delivering food!

### The What’s for Dinner team:

Ginny Arthur [ginnyarthur@yahoo.com](mailto:ginnyarthur@yahoo.com)

Sue Craven [betty suecraven@gmail.com](mailto:betty suecraven@gmail.com)

Wendy Penk [wendy.agcm@gmail.com](mailto:wendy.agcm@gmail.com)

### **If you’re able to make financial donations, please consider:**

Please do remember that cash donations are always welcome at the organizations we help to serve:

<https://bethelshelters.org/services>

<https://www.fortmillcarecenter.org/monetary-donations/>

[www.FoodForThePoor.org](http://www.FoodForThePoor.org) [www.SAMS-USA.org](http://www.SAMS-USA.org) (the Vivanco Family)

The Historic Paradise Foundation, 1001 Steele Street , Fort Mill, SC, 29715.

[www.educationequalshope.org](http://www.educationequalshope.org)

<https://www.defendthefatherless.org/donate>

### **Altar Flowers:**

The 2024 flower chart is on the bulletin board in the Narthex, please sign up here to donate the altar flowers. If you would like a dedication in the Sunday bulletin, **please remember to email or call the church office before Wednesday morning with your dedication so that Brenda may add it in the bulletin.** Flowers are \$50 and checks can be made out to St. Paul’s with “altar flowers” in the memo line.

#### **The flowers this month are given to the glory of God on:**

September 1<sup>st</sup> – David and Donna Dudley in Thanksgiving for the support of our St. Paul’s family.

**September 8<sup>th</sup> – Sandra and Charles Lieske in honor of the birthday of Morgan Lieske.**

September 15<sup>th</sup> – Clare Hawes in thanksgiving for St. Paul’s and the transition ministry.

September 22<sup>nd</sup> – Jane Kilpatrick in memory of her brother, Bill Wiggs

September 29<sup>th</sup> – The Rev Ed Pickup in Thanksgiving of Don and Irene Peeler and their service to St. Paul’s.

## September Birthdays

1 <sup>st</sup>	David Llewellyn	14 <sup>th</sup>	Lily Lindgren
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Mary Carter	16 <sup>th</sup>	Tori Nastiuk
4 <sup>th</sup>	Betty Allegretti	16 <sup>th</sup>	Niall Paule
5 <sup>th</sup>	Elliott Krafft	18 <sup>th</sup>	Carolyn Line
7 <sup>th</sup>	Alan Arthur	23 <sup>rd</sup>	Irene Peeler
7 <sup>th</sup>	Christopher Griffin	27 <sup>th</sup>	Ron Farley
12 <sup>th</sup>	Dan Bartell	29 <sup>th</sup>	Thomas White
14 <sup>th</sup>	Eli Close	30 <sup>th</sup>	Evelyn Verastegui



## September Anniversaries

7 <sup>th</sup>	David & Gina Llewellyn	18 <sup>th</sup>	Charles & Ellen Frank
9 <sup>th</sup>	Michael & Sue Craven	20 <sup>th</sup>	Chris & Stephanie Krafft
11 <sup>th</sup>	Ron & Pam Farley	25 <sup>th</sup>	Mike & Gay Warren
14 <sup>th</sup>	Barry & Mary Mack	30 <sup>th</sup>	Donald & Irene Peeler
17 <sup>th</sup>	Thomas & Catherine White		



## Vestry Members

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# SEPTEMBER

<b>1</b>	<b>2</b> <i>Have a safe Labor Day</i> 	<b>3</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>5</b> <b>REV ED IN OFFICE</b>	<b>6</b> <b>REV ED IN OFFICE</b>	<b>7</b>
<b>8</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>10</b> <b>BOOK STUDY 11 AM</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>12</b> <b>REV ED IN OFFICE</b>	<b>13</b> <b>REV ED IN OFFICE</b>	<b>14</b>
<b>15</b> <b>9:15 AM PARISH BREAKFAST WITH THE VEN JANEY WILSON</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>17</b> <b>BOOK STUDY 11 AM</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>19</b> <b>REV ED IN OFFICE</b>	<b>20</b> <b>REV ED IN OFFICE</b>	<b>21</b>
<b>22</b> <b>VESTRY MEETING NOON</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b> <b>BOOK STUDY 11 AM</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b> <b>REV ED IN OFFICE</b>	<b>27</b> <b>REV ED IN OFFICE</b>	<b>28</b>
<b>29</b>	<b>30</b>					

	<b>September 1<sup>st</sup> - The Fifteenth Sunday after Pentecost</b>	<b>September 8<sup>th</sup> – The Sixteenth Sunday after Pentecost</b>	<b>September 15<sup>th</sup> – The Seventeenth Sunday after Pentecost</b>	<b>September 22<sup>nd</sup> – The Eighteenth Sunday after Pentecost</b>	<b>September 29<sup>th</sup> – The Nineteenth Sunday after Pentecost</b>
<b>Vestry of Day</b>	Clare Hawes	Sue Craven	Lizann Rex	Wendy Penk	Ellen Frank
<b>8AM Altar Guild</b>	Betty Allegretti	Donna Dudley	Clare Hawes	Betty Allegretti	Clare Hawes
<b>8AM Lay Minister</b>	Betty Allegretti	Clare Hawes	Clare Hawes	Betty Allegretti	Clare Hawes
<b>8AM Lector 1</b>	Leah Abraham	Clare Hawes	Sally Weymouth	Betty Allegretti	Clare Hawes
<b>8AM Lector 2</b>	Betty Allegretti	Clare Hawes	Kent Weymouth	Betty Allegretti	Clare Hawes
<b>8 AM Usher</b>	Carolyn Line	Leah Abraham	Kent Weymouth	Kent Weymouth	Holly Russell
<b>10:30 AM Altar Guild</b>	Donna Dudley	Pam Centea	Donna Dudley	Janice Hage	Pam Centea
<b>10:30 AM Lay Minister</b>	Mary Luzzi	Pam Centea	Janet Jendron	Dan Bartell	Mary Luzzi
<b>10:30AM Lector 1</b>	Mary Luzzi	Janice Hage	Ginny Arthur	Laura Verastegui	Mary Luzzi
<b>10:30 AM Lector 2</b>	Pam Centea	Dee Hodnett	Jennifer Dickson	Dan Bartell	Dee Hodnett
<b>10:30 AM Usher</b>	Barbara McQueen	Dennis Edwards	Dee Hodnett	Barbara Bartell	Dennis Edwards
<b>Counters</b>	Barbara Bartell	Dennis Edwards	Dee Hodnett	Diane Lawton	Dee Hodnett
	Donna Dudley	Libby Chambers	Niall Paule	Mary Luzzi	Mary Luzzi
<b>Flower Guild</b>	Barbara Bartell	Libby Chambers	Mary Luzzi	Pam Farley	Sally Weymouth
<b>Nursery Volunteers</b>	Barbara Bartell	Phoebe Connor	Stephanie Krafft		
		Owen Connor			
<b>Kid's Corner Volunteers</b>					